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Journa the Catholic Church. Ar Brigham Young and the Mormons.

Hon. Schuyler Colfax, Speaker of the House of Representatives, delivered an address at the Academy of Music, in Philadelphia, on Monday night, in which he said:

In the heart of the continent 100,000 people are governed despotically by the will of one man. Through the twelve apostles, then the seventy minor disciples, with the infallibility they concede to the Church, they form a compact union. Polygamous union, in every man and woman so combining, has the tendency of making all of them its defenders; for nowhere else in the whole civilized world can they thus live. They profess to believe in the Old and New Testaments, baptism, regeneration and the Trinity. The speaker had listened to an Elder, with six wives, who preached that he had as a sectarian believed God to be a spirit, but now he thought God had the same passions as mankind. He reiterated this six times. He said the Savior was to the Father as the child to its father. He closed the sermon by the prediction that Gentile unbelievers would suffer eternal misery.

The man, with this population of different languages and nationalities, is no common man. He has, despite a lack of education, great administrative powers. He is a well preserved, broad-chested man of sixty four years. He uses no stimulants, and has an inflexible will. His wealth is the result of good business qualities, for he has never been accused of dishon-

The speaker had had many conversations with Brigham Young on the subject. That man had contended that he had had a special revelation on the subject of taking more wives to himself. The speaker had declared it was full time to have another revelation prohibiting it hereafter. Young had declared he wished that would occur, but asked if they gave up the plurality of wives, would they not be required to give up the Mormon Bible. The speaker had answered, No. He trusted they would soon have the revelation.

Yet there was open dissent by that public to Young's expressions. The "Gentiles," numbering scarce one among fifty labored manfully against polygamy, and spoke determinedly against the evil. One elder, with three wives, said if Brigham made such a revelation they would take occasion to discover whether it was

a holy revelation. The religion of the Mormons teaches that women can only reach heaven by uniting with man. He believed, from his scant means of knowledge, that the women were very unhappy. They knew nothing of the pure love of huspand and wife, and were ever in dread of others taking away all their share of a husband's love. They cannot escape; they have not a single chance. Marriage of three sisters to one man, a mother and her daughters to another, nieces to another-are these all not sins against humanity? When wives are separated into different houses, loneliness and desertion for months is the result.

You ask what is the remedy? That is hard 10 say. The unheeding Governments of the past have allowed this evil to grow to a direful extent. As delusive as he believed this faith of religion to be, he would not interfere with it but he would separate it from bigamy and inest in open defiance of the laws of this counby and the world. In Nebraska this law is lespected, and in Utah, the Mormons should be taught they must respect the laws of hu-Manity. The Government cannot tolerate that they should commit treason, arson, murder or ligamy because of an asserted revelation. A small secession has been made from them to the purer teachings of Smith. The Government must support them. Either repeal all laws against polygamy or enforce them.

Some military officers there have two and three wives each. They disobeyed the laws, and it would not be his fault if they retained their commissions.

Chas. L. Mosby, of Lynchburg, Va., has ditten an able examination of the Congreslonal Test Oath, in reference to its constitulonality, and its proper construction and apneation. It is published in pamphlet form, a

opy of which we have received. Col. Robt. Tansill's "Free and Impartial ex-Mosition of the causes which led to the failure the late Confederate States to establish their dependence," in pamphlet form, has been received.

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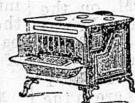
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ner Prince and Pitt streets. OTTON YARN, just received and for sale by oc 30—tf T. M. GRIGSBY, No. 187, King street.

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